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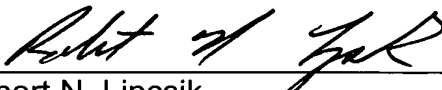
Sir:

In response to the Notice Under 37 CFR 1.251 dated October 26, 2005, a copy of which is attached, the enclosed copy of the papers produced and submitted with this reply is a complete and accurate copy of applicant's records of all of the correspondence between the Office and the applicant for the above-identified application (including for U.S. patent documents), and applicant is not aware of any

correspondence between the Office and applicant for the above-identified patent application that is not among applicant's records.

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